MINUTES

Child Protection Section March 26, 2021• Noon to 1:00 pm MST Via Teleconference/Videoconference

- I. Meeting Called to Order at 12:00 p.m. by Chair Galen Carlson
- II. Approve Minutes (February 26, 2021 meeting) Unanimously approved
- **III. Financial Update –** No changes since February 2021.

IV. Old Business

- Advocate co-sponsorship with the Indian Law Section in February of 2022
 - One possible volunteer writer so far; those interested should email Chair Carlson or any council member.
- Upcoming, free CLES are listed on the CP Section website and on the agenda.
 - o April 23, 2021: Spring Conference & Section Annual Meeting/Elections
 - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., MST, via webcast
 - Speakers will be Judge Jessica Lorello, Christine Salmi, and Andie Blackwood
 - Registration coming soon; free to members, guardians ad litem, law students, and CASA employees
 - Non-section attorneys may register for \$50.00 or join the section for \$25.00 and attend for free.
 - Save the Date: May 20th for the Juvenile Justice Summit on Rule 16 expansions; registration forthcoming.
- Law student scholarship was not approved by the Governing Council. The Council did, however, approve of awarding annually an individual working in child protection who has either done something incredible for the field or who has a lengthy history of dedicated service.

V. New Business

- **A. Service Project:** We do not currently have a service project.
 - There will be a survey given after the conference by ISB that will contain a space for suggestions for a project.
 - Chair Carlson has asked the Bar whether we can take donations on the CLE registration form for donations to be made to CASA.

B. Annual Meeting

Nominations are being taken for vice chair, secretary/treasurer, and two

 (2) member at large positions. Chair Carlson will move into the past chair position and Krista Howard will move into the Chair position. There is a nomination for Janice Beller for Vice-Chair and Judge Andrew Ellis for Secretary/Treasurer.

- Chair Carlson has received nominations of five members for the two Member at Large positions.
- Nominations for any open position must be emailed to Chair Carlson by 5:00 today.

C. NACC State Coordinator for Idaho

- Deadline to apply is April 5, 2021.
- It is for approximately five hours a month and has a two year commitment.
- There is a \$500 stipend and gold level NACC membership included.
- Information/link on the section's website.

D. NACC Scholarships

- Past Chair Minton announced that the Administrative Office of the Courts has some scholarships are available for the NACC Red Book training for the summer session, which begins in May 2021.
- Interested applicants should email Past Chair Minton or Chair Carlson by April 10, 2021.
- VI. CLE: Bradley Andrews, Bar Counsel, Idaho State Bar, *Ethical Issues When Clients Stop Communicating.*
- VII. Adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.